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Proposed programme of work for the second part of the resumed fifty-first session

Note by the Bureau of the Committee

First week: 12-16 May 1997

Monday, 12 May

3-6 p.m. Formal meeting

1. Organization of work
   (A/C.5/51/L.57 and A/C.5/51/L.58)

2. Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping forces in the Middle East [123]:

   (a) United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

   (b) United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon
   (A/51/405/Add.1-2, A/51/684/Add.1 and
   A/51/535/Add.1-2)

3. Financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution 687 (1991) [125]:

   (a) United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission

   (b) Other activities

(A/51/658/Add.1-2 and 3* and A/51/683/Add.1)

4. Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara [126]
(A/51/763 and Add.1 and A/51/847)

5. Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus [132]
(A/51/755 and Corr.1 and Add.1 and A/51/851 and Corr.1)

6. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia [133]
(A/51/793 and Add.1 and A/51/855)

7. Financing of the United Nations Mission in Haiti [134]
(A/51/764 and Add.1 and A/51/861)

8. Financing of the United Nations Mission of Observers in Tajikistan [138]
(A/51/784 and Add.1-2 and A/51/850)

9. Financing of the United Nations Transitional Administration for Eastern Slavonia, Baranja and Western Sirmium [154]
(A/51/520/Add.1-3 and A/51/872*)

10. Financing of the United Nations Support Mission in Haiti [157]
(A/51/825 and A/51/861)

Introductory statements and general discussion

Tuesday, 13 May

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Formal meeting

1. Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping forces in the Middle East [123]:

   (a) United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

   (b) United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon

2. Financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution 687 (1991):

   (a) United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission

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(b) Other activities [125]

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4. Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus [132]

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9. Financing of the United Nations Support Mission in Haiti [157]

Conclusion of general discussion

3-6 p.m. Informal consultations

Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]
- Reports of the Secretary-General on the procurement reform of the United Nations Secretariat

Wednesday, 14 May

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Informal consultations

1. Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping forces in the Middle East [123]:

(a) United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

(b) United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon

2. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]
- Report of the Secretary-General on gratis personnel provided by Governments and other entities

3-6 p.m. Informal consultations

1. Financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution 687 (1991) [125]:

(a) United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission

(b) Other activities

2. Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping forces in the Middle East [123]:

(a) United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

(b) United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon

Thursday, 15 May

10 a.m.- Formal meeting

1. Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services [141] (A/51/801, A/51/432, A/51/530 and Corr.1)

2. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]
   - Reports of the Office of Internal Oversight Services (A/51/884 and A/51/...)

Introductory statements and general discussion

Morning-1 p.m. Informal consultations*

Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services [141]

3-6 p.m. Informal consultations

1. Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara [126]

2. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]
   - Reports of the Secretary-General on the procurement reform in the United Nations Secretariat

Friday, 16 May

10 a.m.- Formal meeting

Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]
- Letter dated 21 April 1997 from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly

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* Following the adjournment of the formal meeting.

(A/51/873)

Introduction and general discussion

- Strengthening external oversight mechanisms (A/49/471 and Corr.1, A/49/633, A/49/368 and Corr.1 and A/51/674)

3-6 p.m. Informal consultations

1. Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus [132]

2. Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services [141]

3. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]
   - Reports of the Office of Internal Oversight Services

Second week: 19-23 May 1997

Monday, 19 May

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Informal consultations

Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]
- Strengthening external oversight mechanisms

3-6 p.m. Informal consultations

1. Financing of the United Nations Mission in Haiti [134]

2. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]
   - Report of the Secretary-General on gratis personnel provided by Governments and other entities

Tuesday, 20 May

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Formal meeting

1. Improving the financial situation of the United Nations [115]
   - Statement by the Under-Secretary-General for Administration and Management

2. Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations [140] (A/48/622, A/48/912, A/49/654, A/49/936, A/50/797, A/50/907, A/50/965, A/50/976, A/50/983, A/50/985,

A/50/995, A/50/1009, A/50/1012, A/51/389, A/51/491, A/51/646, A/51/778, A/51/845, A/C.5/50/51, A/C.5/51/8 and A/C.5/51/45)

Introduction and general discussion

3-6 p.m. Informal consultations

Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services [141]

Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]
- Reports of the Office of Internal Oversight Services

Wednesday, 21 May

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Formal meeting

Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations [140]

Continuation of general discussion

3-6 p.m. Informal consultations

1. Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping forces in the Middle East [123]:

   (a) United Nations Disengagement Observation Force

   (b) United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon

2. Financing of the United Nations Mission of Observers in Tajikistan [138]

Thursday, 22 May

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Informal consultations

Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]
- Reports of the Secretary-General on the procurement reform in the United Nations Secretariat

3-6 p.m. Informal consultations

Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations [140]

Friday, 23 May

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Informal consultations

1. Financing of the United Nations Transitional Administration for Eastern Slavonia, Baranja and Western Sirmium [154]

2. Financing of the United Nations Support Mission in Haiti [157]

3-6 p.m. Informal consultations

Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]
- Strengthening of external oversight mechanisms

Third week: 26-30 May 1997

Monday, 26 May

No meetings

Tuesday, 27 May

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Formal meeting

1. Financing of the United Nations Protection Force, the United Nations Confidence Restoration Operation in Croatia, the United Nations Preventive Deployment Force and the United Nations Peace Forces headquarters [129]
(A/51/305, A/51/701 and A/51/872*)

2. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia [135]
(A/51/756/Add.2)

3. Financing of the United Nations Mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina [153]
(A/51/519/Add.1-3 and 4* and A/51/872*)

4. Financing of the United Nations Preventive Deployment Force [155]
(A/51/508/Add.1-2 and 3* and A/51/872*)

5. Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations [140]
- Support account
(A/...)

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* To be issued.

6. Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 [137] (A/C.5/51/30, A/51/7/Add.5 and A/51/824)

7. Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 [139] (A/C.5/51/29 and Corr.1, A/51/7/Add.5 and A/51/789)

8. Programme budget for the biennium 1996-1997 [116]
   - Report of the Secretary-General updating the International Court of Justice agreement concerning occupation of the Peace Palace at The Hague (A/C.5/51/...)

Introduction and general discussion

3-6 p.m. Informal consultations

Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]
- Strengthening external oversight mechanisms
- Report of the Secretary-General on gratis personnel provided by Governments and other entities

Wednesday, 28 May

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Informal consultations

1. Financing of the United Nations Protection Force, the United Nations Confidence Restoration Operation in Croatia, the United Nations Preventive Deployment Force and the United Nations Peace Forces headquarters [129]

2. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia [135]

3. Financing of the United Nations Mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina [153]

3-6 p.m. Formal meeting

1. Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations [140]
   - Support account

2. Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 [137]

3. Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 [139]

Conclusion of general discussion

4. Programme budget for the biennium 1996-1997 [116]
   - Report of the Secretary-General on the programme performance report for the biennium 1996-1997 (A/C.5/51/...)

Thursday, 29 May

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Informal consultations

1. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]
   - Strengthening of external oversight mechanisms

2. Financing of the United Nations Preventive Deployment Force [155]

3-6 p.m. Informal consultations

Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations [140]
- Support account

Friday, 30 May

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Informal consultations

1. Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara [126]

2. Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus [132]

3-6 p.m. Informal consultations

1. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia [133]

2. Financing of the United Nations Mission in Haiti [134]

Fourth week: 2-6 June 1997

Monday, 2 June

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Informal consultations

1. Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 [137]

2. Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 [139]

3 p.m.- Formal meeting

Human resources management [120]:
Implementation of the Secretary-General's strategy for the management of the Organization's human resources and other human resources management issues
(A/C.5/51/CRP....)

Introduction and general discussion

Afternoon-6 p.m. Informal consultations*

1. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]
   - Management in the United Nations system

2. Programme budget for the biennium 1996-1997 [116]
   - Informatics in the United Nations

Tuesday, 3 June

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Informal consultations

Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]
- Report of the Secretary-General on gratis personnel provided by Governments and other entities

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* Following the adjournment of the formal meeting.

3-6 p.m. Informal consultations

1. Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 [137]

2. Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 [139]

Wednesday, 4 June

10 a.m.- Formal meeting

Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission [124]
(A/51/494/Add.3)

Morning-1 p.m. Informal consultations*

Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission [124]

3-6 p.m. Informal consultations

Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations [140]
- Support account

Thursday, 5 June

10 a.m.-1 p.m. and 3-6 p.m. Informal consultations

All outstanding issues

Friday, 6 June

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Informal consultations

All outstanding issues

* Following the adjournment of the formal meeting.

3-6 p.m. Formal meeting

1. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [112]

2. Human resources management [120]

3. Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping forces in the Middle East [123]:

   (a) United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

   (b) United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon

4. Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission [124]

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8. Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus [132]

9. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia [133]

10. Financing of the United Nations Mission in Haiti [134]

11. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia [135]

12. Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 [137]

13. Financing of the United Nations Mission of Observers in Tajikistan [138]

14. Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 [139]

15. Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations [140]

16. Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services [141]

17. Financing of the United Nations Mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina [153]

18. Financing of the United Nations Transitional Administration for Eastern Slavonia, Baranja and Western Sirmium [154]

19. Financing of the United Nations Preventive Deployment Force [155]

20. Financing of the United Nations Support Mission in Haiti [157]

Action on draft proposals

Closure of the work of the Fifth Committee at the second part of its resumed fifty-first session

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